

A VIEWPOINT FROM A DEVOLVED ADMINISTRATION



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A single set of UK regulations

- **Legal issues - Directive; legislative competence; infraction**
- **Stakeholders - co-operation and consistency**
- **Effective and efficient**

Scottish perspective



- **Political context**
- **Extent of waters**
- **Marine industries (and different powers)**
- **Habitats**
- **Species**

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Framework



- **Broad framework: Agreement and legislative expression**
- **Devolution with co-ordination, consultation and consent**
- **UK Marine Policy Statement**
- **Partnership working**
- **Scottish activity**

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Regulations



- **Scottish Ministers as competent authority**
- **Role in Marine Strategy**
- **Consent**
- **Co-ordination**
- **Co-operate**
- **Directions and guidance**

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